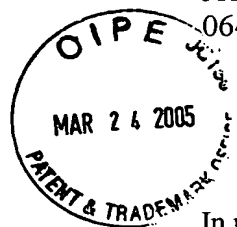


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SECOND REQUEST FOR STATUS

Please advise the status of the above-identified patent application. Applicant filed a Request for Status with the PTO on September 20, 2004. To date, Applicant has not received any communication on the merits. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests notice of when the first Office Action on the merits will be issued.

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If there are any matters that can be resolved through a telephone conference, please contact the undersigned attorney for Applicant at the telephone number listed below.

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